

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 1-30 remain pending in the application. Applicant, by this paper, cancels claims 31-35 without prejudice to further pursue the subject matter of the claims in a continuing application.

The Examiner indicates that claims 1-30 are allowable. Thus, the application is believed to be in condition for allowance following entry of the amendment.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, Applicants believe all claims now pending in this Application are in condition for allowance. The issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance at an early date is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 858-350-6100.

Respectfully submitted,



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